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FM AMEMBASSY NOUAKCHOTT
TO USDOC WASHDC
AMEMBASSY THE HAGUE
SECSTATE WASHDC 2773

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E.O. 11652: N/A
SUBJ: MAJOR PROJECT. NOUAKCHOTT-KIFFA SECTION,
NOUAKCHOTT-NEMA HIGHWAY

REF: THE HAGUE 4742, NOUAKCHOTT 816, 822
1098 AND A-49, STATE 174502 (NOTAL)

1. FOR USDOC: HAVE RECEIVED INQUIRY (REFTEL) FROM MORRISON-
KNUDSEN INTERNATIONAL, THE HAGUE EXPRESSING INTEREST IN
NOUAKCHOTT-NEMA ROAD PROJECT, PRE-SELECTION BIDDING FOR
WHICH CLOSED JULY 15. BEGINNING IN JUNE, REFTELS DETAILED
THIS DOLS 100 MILLION TRADE OPPORTUNITY AND LATER
REPORTED THAT NO RPT NO US FIRMS HAD BID DESPITE BEST USDOC
EFFORTS. AFTER PRESELECTION CLOSED JULY 15, GIRM MINPUBLIC
WORKS CHOSE 14 EUROPEAN AND ONE BRAZILIAN FIRM, WHO NOW HAVE
UNTIL OCTOBER 30 TO SUBMIT FIRM BIDS ON CONSTRUCTION NOUAKCHOTT-
KIFFA SECTION OF NOUAKCHOTT-NEMA HIGHWAY. SEEMS LOGICAL ASSUME
FIRM THAT WINS COMPETITION FOR CONSTRUCTION NOUAKCHOTT-KIFFA
SEGMENT WILL GET NOD FOR COMPLETION ENTIRE ROAD PROJECT
INTO NEMA.

2. FOR THE HAGUE: BY CHANCE, REP H. K. FERGUSON--SUBSIDIARY
OF MORRISON-KNUDSEN--IN TOWN ON OTHER BUSINESS. HE PROMISES
CONTACT MINPUBLIC WORKS DISCUSS POSSIBILITIES FOR LATE
MORRISON-KNUDSEN BID ON HIGHWAY PROJECT. EMBASSY WILL ALSO
FOLLOW-UP, THOUGH BOTH MINPUBLIC WORKS AND PROJECT MANAGER OUT
OF TOWN UNTIL OCTOBER. AM, HOWEVER, NOT RPT NOT CONFIDENT THAT
OUR INTERVENTION AT THIS LATE DATE WILL SERVE TO REOPEN
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BIDDING OR EXTEND BID DEADLINE, WHICH PASSED MORE THAN TWO

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MONTHS AGO.

3. AM REPEATING NOUAKCHOTT 816 TO THE HAGUE FOR INFO MORRISON-
KNUDSEN REP. SHURTLEFF

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